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# HF Happenings 990

## The SARL 80 m QSO Party

The first leg of the popular SARL 80 metre QSO Party will run from 17:00 to 19:00 UTC on Thursday 7 April 2022 with activity between 3 603 to 3 650 and 3 703 to 3 800 kHz. The exchange is a realistic RST report, your call sign and your name. You score 10 points for every QSO with a South African station and 15 points for every QSO with a station outside South Africa. Submit your log sheet in MS Excel format ONLY by 21:59 UTC on Tuesday 12 April 2022 by e-mail to [louis.zs5lp@gmail.com](mailto:louis.zs5lp@gmail.com) and [zs5durbanarc@gmail.com](mailto:zs5durbanarc@gmail.com). The rules are on page 40 of the 2022 Blue Book.



## SARL Unlocking Amateur Radio Technology 2022 - Taking Amateur Radio into the Digital Age

Saturday 9 April 2022 from 10:00 – 15:00 CAT

Register now, [Click here to register](#)

09:50 Housekeeping notes

10:00 **Opening Address:** Nico van Rensburg, ZS6QL SARL President

10:10 **Keynote address: Why Radio Amateurs should care about encryption** - Dominic White, Orange Cyberdefense

10:40 **SDR Applications for Amateur Radio: How do they work?**

*The presentation will introduce the main blocks in use in the SDR applications such as SDR Sharp, SDR Console and others to monitor the bands or listen to amateur traffic. It will explain how they work and compare with fully "hardware based" architectures. - Sylvain Azarian, F4GKR President IARU Region 1*

11:10 Q&A



### April

- 5 – inland and coastal schools open
- 6 – Van Riebeeck Day
- 9 – the SARL “Taking Amateur Radio into the Digital Age” Symposium, the Autumn QRP contest and the regional FT4 DX contest
- 12 – the closing date for 80 m logs
- 14 – the closing date for QRP and FT4 logs
- 14 to 18 – Get on the Air for World Amateur Radio Day
- 15 - Good Friday
- 15 to 22 - Pesach
- 17 - ZS4 QSO Party
- 18 - Family Day; World Amateur Radio Day
- 22 - RAE registration closes and the closing date for ZS4 logs
- 22 and 23 – the Lyrids Meteor Shower
- 23 – the SARL Annual General Meeting
- 25 - Marconi Day
- 27 – Freedom Day, the birth of Samuel Morse and the Sandton ARC Tech Talk
- 30 - SARL 40 m Club Contest and the end of the SAMOC April Word Search

### May

- 1 – “Worker’s” Day
- 2 – Eid al-Fitr, public holiday and the ZS-SOTA Activity Day
- 5 Closing date for Word Search and Club contest logs
- 6 and 7 - Eta Aquarids Meteor Shower
- 7 - AWA Valve QSO Party and the Pretoria ARC Flea Market

11:20 **Detecting RF propagation disturbances by analysing GPS position data.** *The aim of this project is to investigate the influence of radio frequency propagation disturbances on reported GPS position data at a fixed point. Cor will discuss the background, sensor implementation progress, data analysis ideas as well as future enhancements planned for the sensor system.* - Cor Rademeyer, ZS6CR

11:50 Q&A

12:00 **The SARL second generation beacon programme.** *The SARL next generation beacon programme is a SARL and crowd funded project aimed at the establishment of a digital beacon network. The current shortage of devices is impacting the programme and has inspired the team to consider alternative technological solutions. The presentation will discuss the latest developments.* - Brian Jacobs, ZS6YZ

12:30 Q&A

12:40 Virtual coffee break

12:50 **So you have copied a distant two metre beacon. What now?** *Logging signals of distant VHF beacons is confirmation that your antennas and equipment are in great shape, but it does not answer the question of what type of propagation was at play. If it is tropospheric propagation, what were the underlying conditions? Was it some other propagation exotic propagation condition? The paper will explore the type of reporting that is needed to start answering some of the questions. After all what is the point to just listen to beacon signals?* - Hans van de Groenendaal, ZS6AKV

13:10 Q&A

13:20 **Building a SDR driven satellite.** *AfriCUBE has reached an advanced stage of development and construction the paper will review some of the unique designs such the system to manage the remote control of various modes incorporated in the SDR transponder.* - Anton Janovsky, ZR6AIC and Hannes Coetzee, ZS6BZP

13:50 Q&A

14:00 **NCDXF International Beacon Project.** *The International Beacon Project is a worldwide network of radio propagation beacons. It consists of 18 continuous wave beacons operating on five designated frequencies in the high frequency band. The IBP beacons provide a means of assessing the prevailing ionospheric signal propagation characteristics. One of the beacons is in South Africa.* - Frank Schneider, ZS6GE

14:20 **The SARL 100 Commemorative handbook** - Mark Walker, ZS6MDX

14:35 **Helping Member Societies better co-operate (SO8)** - Richard Perks, S79RP Chairman of the Seychelles Amateur Radio Association (SARA)

14:50 Wrapping up

### The SARL Autumn QRP Contest

The SARL Autumn QRP Contest runs from 12:00 to 13:30 UTC on Saturday 9 April 2022 with CW and SSB activity using 5 watts or less. The first 45 minutes are restricted to the 40 metre band and the last 45 minutes on all contest bands. The exchange is a realistic RS or RST report and your 6-character grid locator. This is the ideal contest to set up a field station and have a picnic or go fishing. Get the rules on page 70 of the Blue Book and do not forget that photograph of your station in action. Check the General Rules for the definition of a single operator and a multi-operator.



### The Regional FT4 Contest

If you operate FT8, you are ready for this exciting regional contest. All you need to do is select FT4 mode in your WSJT-X software and then shake hands with our neighbours in Sub-Saharan Africa. The Regional FT4 contest runs from 15:30 to 17:30 UTC on Saturday 9 April. The QSOs you make during the contest can be used for your All Africa Award. The Excel log



sheet is available on the Contest page on the SARL website. The rules are on page 73 of the Blue Book. Good luck looking forward to seeing you in the waterfall.

### Get on the Air for World Amateur Radio Day

Refer to page 7 and 8 of the April 2022 Radio ZS. But we have changed the date! GOTA WARD will run from 16:00 UTC on Thursday 14 April to 18:00 UTC on Monday 18 April = the whole Easter weekend! Work as many radio amateurs as possible during the weekend, PLUS at least two (2) SARL Councillors (there are 10) and at least three (3) Radio Club stations, excluding your own Club station!

Yes, there are Councillors who speak CW! Send your application for the 2022 WARD Certificate to [secretary@sarl.org.za](mailto:secretary@sarl.org.za) by 21:59 UTC on Thursday 21 April 2022.



### CQ MM DX Contest

The CQ MM DX Contest, organized by the Juiz de Fora CW Group, will be held on 16 and 17 April. It will run from 09 UTC on Saturday to 23:59 UTC on Sunday, on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres CW. Complete details, including the results of the 2021 edition, can be found at [www.cqmmdx.com](http://www.cqmmdx.com).

### CQ DX Marathon

(Help plan for the future! Dated 4 April).

In 2005, W9KNI and CQ Magazine asked me if I was interested in managing a new contest for CQ Magazine - the CQ DX Marathon. This new contest/DX programme sounded very interesting, and I thought it would be a great programme to keep old timers interested in working DX. As it was a new contest, there was nothing available in terms of tools, scoring software, web site, etc. Over the years the DX Marathon has grown significantly and has become an annual event with a tremendous following.

But the DX Marathon would never have reached its current level of activity without the dedicated help from many people. Alex, VE3NEA was one of the first to jump in with his idea of software to score the contest. It is still in use today. Jim, AD1C has created many DX Marathon tools and a dedicated DX Marathon web page. Dave, AA6YQ was the first logging programme author to build DX Marathon support directly into his excellent software.

Mike, W9MR has built our online submission tools. John, W9ILY prepares the 100+ certificates every year. VK3AMA has fully supported the DX Marathon in his JT Alert software. W9KNI and PY5EG not only provide significant financial support but have also provided many great ideas and emotional support. Bernie, W3UR has been very supportive of the Marathon in his Daily and Weekly DX Bulletins. Our many plaque sponsors have provided incentives for participants to strive for the top positions.

However, the Marathon is now at a turning point. Participation has grown significantly the last two years and many of the processes are still done manually. I am not a software person by education or trade, so I am not able to automate more of the work without asking for additional external support. In addition, the introduction of FT8 has changed the face of the Marathon. On the positive side, the weak signal capabilities of FT8 have allowed low power and compromised antenna participants to submit some amazing scores. On the downside, 79% of all submitted QSOs are now FT8 and combined with the Internet, cheating among a few participants has increased. In summary, the DX Marathon needs a fresh look, some updated tools and some serious work on evaluating submitted logs.

After 17 years and watching my advancing age, I told CQ Magazine late last year that 2022 would be my last year to manage the DX Marathon. To date, they have not been able to find a replacement for me to manage the Marathon. Each of you on this letter has had a significant impact on the Marathon, so I am turning to all of you with the request to find a person, persons, or organization to assume leadership of the DX Marathon. I have approached the WWROF, but there has been little interest in the DX Marathon. Perhaps I did not handle the requests properly.

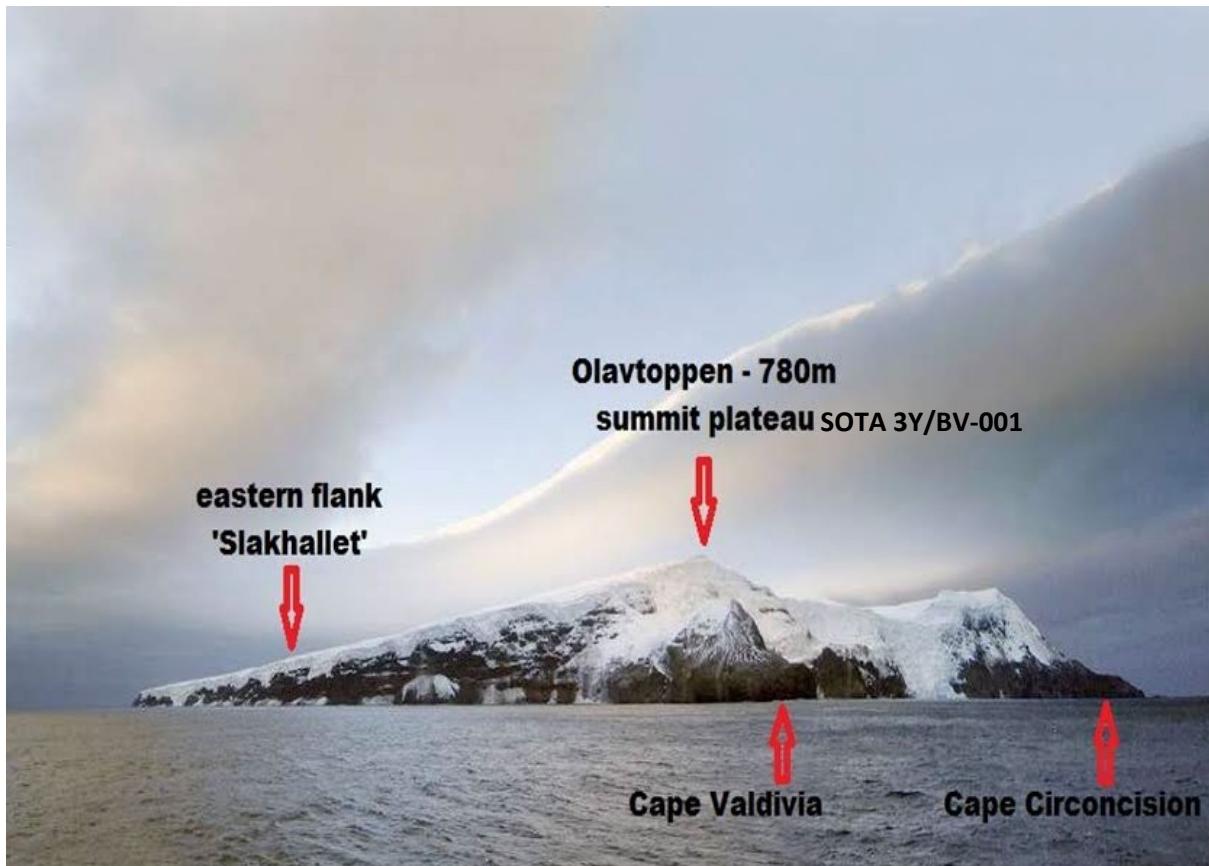
If you or any of your contacts has an interest in managing the DX Marathon, please contact me directly. Finding a replacement person or organization now would provide a lot of overlap time as there is plenty to learn. Thank you for your support of the DX Marathon and reading this note.

I will surely miss many aspects of managing the programme, but it is time for me to step down.  
Sincerely, John, K9EL

### 3Y0J Bouvet Island DXpedition News

(Press Release #9, dated 3 April) [edited]

Today it is 9 months until the operators travel to South America to board Marama and go to Bouvet. We are getting closer! We can announce the last operator on the team that will be Pete, NOFW.



We are extremely happy to have Pete on the team with his experience and knowledge. Pete is a well known DXpeditioner, he has been on more than 16+ DXpeditions, some quite rare ones, and he is a low band enthusiast for a long time with 322 confirmed current DXCC on 160 m - so he has great ears!

In 3 weeks', time we will perform a 4-day vessel inspection in Itajai in Brazil. Marama that has completed several trips to Antarctica this winter season will undertake some maintenance during her stay in Brazil. At the same time this allows us to do a detailed inspection of the vessel. Another purpose of the trip to Brazil is for us to complete the vessel loading plan. The team have worked hard to detail out all the equipment we will bring to Bouvet, and amongst other during this trip each equipment will be allocated a space in the vessel. The purpose of creating this plan is to make sure we have a smooth loading of the zodiac once we go ashore Bouvet. We have at this stage planned how to sequence all the equipment in a specific predetermined order from vessel to zodiac, and how to build the camp slowly. The detailed plan to build up the camp indicates that we will be able to setup a camp on Bouvet even with short weather windows down to 80 - 120 min that will take only 4 zodiac trips. We are quite determined to go ashore when the first opportunity arise!

April will be a busy month for us as all team members gather in Oslo on 28 April. For 4 days the team will perform a system integration test where we will do a thorough test of the radios, amplifiers and antennas in a real environment like what we can expect at Bouvet. During this event team members will practice on the installation and familiarize with it. A lot of equipment will undergo its final testing and packing and be stored until the container leaves Oslo in September 2022.

Going to Bouvet is a huge undertaking financially and it would simply not be possible without the support from the vendors, clubs, foundations and individual sponsors. We're currently missing 120 000 USDs out of our 690 000 USDs budget to be able to go to Bouvet. As we now prepare for the next vessel deposit, we need your support to close the gap.

If you want to have the opportunity to work the rare #2 DXCC Bouvet Island, please consider supporting us by donating upfront. You can follow our plans from our website and the 3Y0J Facebook pages at <http://www.3y0j.no> and <https://www.facebook.com/groups/3093983840726129>

Thank you, Ken Opskar, LA7GIA, Co-Leader; Rune Oye, LA7THA, Co-Leader and Erwann Merrien, LB1QI, Co-Leader Oslo April 2022

## DX from Africa

Central African Republic, TL. Members of the Italian DX Team (IDT), who were expected to be active from Central African Republic as TL8AA and TL8ZZ between 27 March and 9 April, sent out the following statement on 1 April, "The IDT DXpedition to RCA has been rescheduled to November 2022, at the end of the rainy season. Special thanks to all our Sponsors for their trust in the Team." Their official Web site is at [www.i2ysb.com/idt](http://www.i2ysb.com/idt) and the official forum at [www.hamradioweb.net](http://www.hamradioweb.net)



## African Islands

### Contest Calendar

This week's contests as compiled by Bruce Horn, WA7BNM. The period covered is 4 to 11 April 2022.

K1USN Slow Speed Test  
00:00 - 01:00 UTC 4 April  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each state, province or country once per band; W/VE do not count as country mults  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 6 April 2022

Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>

OK1WC Memorial (MWC)  
16:30 - 17:29 UTC 4 April  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 80, 40 m  
Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP or low; Single Op Single Band - QRP or low  
Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: RST and serial no  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each last character of worked station call suffix once per band



Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 06:00 UTC 8 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=logs>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=rules2>

RSGB 80 m CW Club Championship

19:00 - 20:30 UTC 4 April

Geographic Focus: United Kingdom

Participation: Worldwide

Awards: United Kingdom

Mode: CW

Bands: 80 m Only

Classes: (none)

Exchange: RST and serial no

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: (see rules)

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 5 April 2022

Upload log at: <http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/r80mcc.shtml>



ARS Spartan Sprint

01:00 - 03:00 UTC 5 April

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Skinny; Tubby

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST, state, province or country and power

Work stations: Once per band

Submit logs by: 7 April 2022

E-mail logs to: [spartansprint@yahoo.com](mailto:spartansprint@yahoo.com)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<http://arsgrp.blogspot.com/2009/02/so-whats-spartan-sprint-and-how-do-i.html>

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest

01:00 - 01:59 UTC 5 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Overlay: Youth (26 years old or younger)

Youth YL (female 26 years old or younger)

YL (female older than 26 years)

Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RS and age group (OM, YL, Youth YL or Youth)

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with OM; 5 points per QSO with YL; 10 points per QSO with

Youth; 15 points per QSO with Youth YL

Multipliers: Each DXCC once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 01:59 UTC 6 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: <https://logs.wwsac.com/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <https://wwsac.com/rules.html>

RTTYOPS Week Sprint

17:00 - 19:00 UTC 5 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY

Bands: 80, 40, 20 m

Classes: Single Op

Max operating hours: 2 hours

Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial no and your name

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 12 April 2022

E-mail logs to: [rtty-week-tuesday@rttyops.com](mailto:rtty-week-tuesday@rttyops.com)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://rttyops.com/>

Phone Weekly Test  
 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 6 April  
 Geographic Focus: North America  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: SSB  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 m  
 Classes: Single Op  
 Max power: 100 watts  
 Exchange: NA: Name and state, province or country; non-NA: Name  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO; non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station  
 Multipliers: Each US state (including KH6/KL7) once per band; Each VE province/territory once per band; Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 03:00 UTC 8 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: (none)  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
[http://www.perluma.com/Phone\\_Fray\\_Content\\_Rules.pdf](http://www.perluma.com/Phone_Fray_Content_Rules.pdf)

A1Club AWT  
 12:00 - 13:00 UTC 6 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Member: RST and name  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 11 April 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <https://a1club.org/contest/awt/>

CWops Test (CWT)

13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 6 April and  
 03:00 - 04:00 UTC and 07:00 - 08:00 UTC 7 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Awards: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Member: Name and member no or "CWA"; non-Member: Name and state, province or country  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 08:00 UTC 9 April 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <https://cwops.org/cwops-tests/>



Mini-Test 40  
 17:00 - 17:59 UTC 6 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 40 m Only  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per 10 minute period  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 8 April 2022

Upload log at:

[https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit\\_log.php?lang=en](https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://minitest.narod.ru/>

Mini-Test 80

18:00 - 18:59 UTC 6 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 80 m Only

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RST and serial no

Work stations: Once per 10 minute period

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each call once

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 8 April 2022

Upload log at:

[https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit\\_log.php?lang=en](https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://minitest.narod.ru/>



UKEICC 80 m Contest

20:00 - 21:00 UTC 6 April

Geographic Focus: Europe

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 80 m Only

Classes: Single Op Connected - QRP, low or high; Single Op Unconnected - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: 6-Character grid square

QSO Points: 1 point per 500 km (10 pts max); multiply QSO points by 2 if low power station; multiply QSO points by 4 if QRP station

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: 22:00 UTC 6 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: <http://logs.ukeicc.com/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: [https://www.ukeicc.com/80\\_m-rules.php](https://www.ukeicc.com/80_m-rules.php)

Walk for the Bacon QRP Contest

00:00 - 01:00 UTC 7 April and 02:00 - 03:00

UTC 8 April

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 40 m Only

Classes: Single Op

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: Maximum 13 wpm – RST, state, province or country, name and member no or power

Work stations: Once per day

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member; 3 points per QSO with member on same continent; 5 points per QSO with member on different continent

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: 14 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at:

<https://qrpcontest.com/pigwalk40/autolog.php>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<https://qrpcontest.com/pigwalk40/>

SARL 80 m QSO Party

17:00 - 19:00 UTC 7 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 80 m Only

Classes: Single Op

Exchange: realistic RST report, your call sign and your name  
 QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with South African station; 15 points per QSO with non-South African station  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
 Submit logs by: 21:59 UTC 12 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: [louis.zs5lp@gmail.com](mailto:louis.zs5lp@gmail.com) and [zs5durbanarc@gmail.com](mailto:zs5durbanarc@gmail.com)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
[http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/contes\\_trules.asp](http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/contes_trules.asp)

RTTYOPS Week Sprint  
 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 7 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: RTTY  
 Bands: 80, 40, 20 m  
 Classes: Single Op  
 Max operating hours: 2 hours  
 Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial no and your name  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 14 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: [rtty-week-thursday@rttyops.com](mailto:rtty-week-thursday@rttyops.com)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://rttyops.com/>

NRAU 10 m Activity Contest  
 18:00 - 19:00 UTC (CW) and 19:00 - 20:00 (SSB) and 20:00 - 21:00 UTC (FM) and 21:00 - 22:00 UTC (Dig) 7 April  
 Geographic Focus: Nordic Europe  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW, SSB, FM, Digital  
 Bands: 10 m Only  
 Classes: Single Op; Multi-Op  
 Exchange: RS(T) and 6-character grid square  
 QSO Points: (see rules)  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: 21 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: [10m@nrrlcontest.no](mailto:10m@nrrlcontest.no)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
<https://nrrlcontest.no/index.php/nrrl-contests/nrau-nac/10%20m/nrau-nac-10%20m-english-rules/278-nrau-nac-10%20m-english-rules.html>



SKCC Sprint Europe  
 19:00 - 21:00 UTC 7 April  
 Geographic Focus: Europe  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m  
 Classes: (none)  
 Exchange: RST, state, province or country, name and SKCC no or "NONE"  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: (see rules)  
 Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) and bonus points  
 Submit logs by: 14 April 2022  
 E-mail log summary to: (none)  
 Post log summary at:  
[http://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/skse/submit-display.php?submit\\_id=165](http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/skse/submit-display.php?submit_id=165)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
[http://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/skse/](http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/skse/)

EACW Meeting  
 19:00 - 20:00 7 April  
 Geographic Focus: Spain  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 80, 40 m  
 Classes: Single Op

Exchange: EACW Member: RST, member no and nickname; EA non-Member: RST, nickname and EA province; non-EA: RST, nickname and DXCC prefix  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 9 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: (none)  
 Post log summary at:  
<https://www.eacwspain.es/subir-puntuacion-meeting/>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
<https://www.eacwspain.es/eacwmeeting/>



#### NCCC RTTY Sprint

01:45 - 02:15 UTC 8 April

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY

Bands: (see rules)

Classes: (none)

Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 10 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at:

<http://www.3830scores.com/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<https://ncccsprint.com/rttyns.html>

#### NCCC Sprint

02:30 - 03:00 UTC 8 April

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: (see rules)

Classes: (none)

Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 10 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at:

<http://www.3830scores.com/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<https://ncccsprint.com/rules.html>

#### K1USN Slow Speed Test

20:00 - 21:00 UTC 8 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each state, province or country once per band; W/VE do not count as country mults

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 10 April 2022

Post log summary at:

<http://www.3830scores.com/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>

#### QRP ARCI Spring QSO Party

00:00 - 06:00 UTC 9 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Awards: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: All Band; Single Band; High Bands; Low Bands

Exchange: RS, state, province or country and ARCI number or power

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with ARCI member; 4 points per non-member QSO with

different continent; 2 points per non-member QSO with same continent  
 Multipliers: States, once per band; VE Provinces, once per band; Countries, once per band  
 Power Mult: >5 W = x 1, 1 - 5 W = x 7, >250 mW – 1 W = x 10, >55 mW - 250 mW = x 15, <=55 mW = x 20  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (state mults and province mults and country mults) x power mult  
 Submit logs by: 28 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: (none)  
 Upload log at: <http://www.qrpcontest.com/>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
<http://qrparci.org/contest/spring-qso-party>

JIDX CW Contest  
 07:00 UTC 9 April to 13:00 UTC 10 April  
 Geographic Focus: Japan  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op All Band - low or high; Single Op Single Band - low or high; Multi-Single Multi-Two; Maritime Mobile  
 Max power: HP: >100 W; LP: 100 W  
 Exchange: JA: RST and Prefecture no; non-JA: RST and CQ Zone no  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 4 points per JA-DX QSO on 160 m; 2 points per JA-DX QSO on 80 m; 1 points per JA-DX QSO on 40, 20, 15 m; 2 points per JA-DX QSO on 10 m  
 Multipliers: JA Stations: DXCC countries and CQ zones once per band; non-JA Stations: JA prefectures plus JD1/O, JD1/MT, JD1/OT once per band  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 10 May 2022  
 E-mail logs to: [cw@jidx.org](mailto:cw@jidx.org)  
 Upload log at:  
<http://www.jidx.org/upload/uplog.html>  
 Mail logs to: JIDX CW contest, PO Box 22, Mitaka, Tokyo 181-8799, Japan  
 Find rules at: <http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html>

SKCC Weekend Sprintathon

12:00 UTC 9 April to 24:00 UTC 10 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Awards: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high; Multi-Op Exchange: RST, state, province or country, name and SKCC no or "NONE"  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Bonus Points: (see rules)  
 Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) and bonus points  
 Submit logs by: 17 April 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
[http://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/weekend\\_sprintathon/submit-display.php](http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/weekend_sprintathon/submit-display.php)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
[http://www.skccgroup.com/operating\\_activities/weekend\\_sprintathon/](http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/weekend_sprintathon/)



OK/OM DX SSB Contest  
 12:00 UTC 9 April to 12:00 UTC 10 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: SSB  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP, low or high; Single Op Single Band; Multi-Single; Multi-Two; SWL  
 Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: OK/OM: RS and 3-letter county code; non-OK/OM: RS and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: OK/OM-Station: 2 points per QSO with same country; OK/OM-Station: 3 points per QSO with different country, same

continent; OK/OM-Station: 5 points per QSO with different continent; non-OK/OM: 10 points per QSO with OK/OM station; non-OK/OM: 1 point per QSO same country; non-OK/OM: 3 points per QSO with different country, same continent; non-OK/OM: 5 points per QSO with different continent  
Multipliers: Each OK/OM county once per band; Each country once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 17 April 2022

Upload log at:

<http://okomdx.crk.cz/index.php?page=send-log>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

<http://okomdx.crk.cz/index.php?page=english-2>



#### FTn DX Contest

12:00 UTC 9 April to 12:00 UTC 10 April  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: FT8  
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP or low; Multi-Op - QRP or low  
Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: 4-character grid square  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO plus 1 point per 3 000 km between grid centres  
Multipliers: Each 2-character grid field once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 17 April 2022  
E-mail logs to: [europeanft8club@gmx.com](mailto:europeanft8club@gmx.com)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://europeanft8club.wordpress.com/>

#### IG-RY World Wide RTTY Contest

12:00 UTC 9 April to 18:00 10 April  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: RTTY  
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op All Band - low or high; Multi-Single  
Max operating hours: Single Ops: 24 with at least 60 minute off times; Multi-Ops: 30  
Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts  
Exchange: RST and 4-digit year license first issued  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each 4-digit year licensed once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 18:00 15 April 2022  
E-mail logs to: [logs@ig-ry.de](mailto:logs@ig-ry.de)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://www.ig-ry.de/ig-ry-ww-contest>

#### DIG CW QSO Party

12:00 - 17:00 UTC 9 April (20 m - 10 m) and 07:00 - 09:00 UTC 10 April (80 m) and 09:00 - 11:00 UTC 10 April (40 m)  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op  
Exchange: DIG Member: RST and member no; non-Member: RST  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with a non-member; 10 points per QSO with a DIG member  
Multipliers: Each unique DIG member once; Each DXCC/WAE country once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 31 May 2022

E-mail logs to: [df2kd@web.de](mailto:df2kd@web.de)

Mail logs to: Karl-Dieter Heinen, DF2KD, Kropelspfad 3, D-53925 Kall, Germany  
Find rules at: <https://diplom-interessen-gruppe.info/downloads/dig-qso-party-en/>

#### Nebraska QSO Party

13:00 UTC 9 April to 01:00 UTC 10 April and  
13:00 - 22:00 UTC 10 April  
Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital (non-FT8), FT8  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, VHF/UHF  
Classes: NE Fixed; NE Mobile/Portable; Out of State (See separate rules for FT8 entries)  
Max power: HP: >150 watts; LP: 150 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: NE (non-FT8): county; non-NE (non-FT8): state, province or country; FT8: grid square - shame  
Work stations: Once per band per mode per NE county  
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO; 2 points per CW or digital QSO; Bonus: 50 points per QSO with KA0BOJ; Bonus: 50 points per county activated by a mobile/portable NE station  
Multipliers: NE Stations non-FT8: Each NE county, state, province, DXCC country once; NE Stations FT8: Each grid square once; Non-NE non-FT8: Each county once; Non-NE FT8: Each NE grid square once  
Power: High: x 1, Low: x 2, QRP: x 5  
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults x power mult) and bonus points; Separate scoring for FT8 - see rules  
Submit logs by: 24 April 2022  
E-mail logs to: [nebraskasm@hotmail.com](mailto:nebraskasm@hotmail.com)  
Mail logs to: Matt Anderson, KA0BOJ, 14300 NW 98th Street, Raymond, NE 68428, USA  
Find rules at:  
<https://nebraskaqsoparty.com/qso-party-rules/f/rules-for-2022-nebraska-qso-party>

New Mexico QSO Party  
14:00 UTC 9 April to 02:00 UTC 10 April  
Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2 m  
Classes: Single Op; Multi-Op; Mobile Single Op; Mobile Multi-Op  
Max power: HP: >150 watts; LP: 150 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: NM: Name and county; non-NM: Name and state, province or country  
Work stations: Once per band per mode

QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO; 2 points per CW/Digital QSO; Mobile Bonus: 5 000 points per county from which at least 15 QSOs  
Multipliers: NM Stations: Each county, state, province, DXCC country once; non-NM Stations: Each NM county once  
Power: HP = x 1, LP = x 2, QRP = x 5  
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults x power mult) and mobile bonus points  
Submit logs by: 23 April 2022  
E-mail logs to: [logs@newmexicoqsoqsparty.org](mailto:logs@newmexicoqsoqsparty.org)  
Mail logs to: New Mexico QSO Party, c/o Jim McPhee, 105 Llanito Lindo, Placitas, NM 87043-8603, USA  
Find rules at:  
<http://www.newmexicoqsoqsparty.org/>



Texas State Parks on the Air  
14:00 UTC 9 April to 02:00 UTC 10 April and  
14:00 - 20:00 10 April  
Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: All, except FTn  
Bands: All, except WARC  
Classes: Single Op TX Park - QRP or low; Single Op - QRP, low or high; Multi-Single TX Park - QRP or low; Multi-Multi TX Park - QRP or low  
Max power: QRP: 5 watts CW, 10 watts phone; LP: 150 watts; HP: >150 watts  
Exchange: TX Park: RS(T) and park abbreviation; W/VE: RS(T) and state or province; DX: RS(T) and "DX"  
Work stations: Once per band per mode  
QSO Points: 2 points per CW/digital QSO; 1 points per phone QSO; Bonus Point: see rules  
Multipliers: Each TX park once  
Power: QRP: 3 X, Low: 2 X, High: 1 X  
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults x power mult) and bonus points  
Submit logs by: 30 April 2022  
E-mail logs to: [K5LRK.TX@gmail.com](mailto:K5LRK.TX@gmail.com)  
Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.tspota.org/>

Georgia QSO Party

18:00 9 April to 03:59 UTC

Z 10 April and 14:00 - 23:59 UTC 10 April

Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m

Classes: Single Op – CW, SSB or mixed - QRP, low or high; Multi-Single - QRP, low or high (in 2022 may be operated from more than one location in the same county); Multi-Two - QRP, low or high (in 2022 may be operated from more than one location in the same county); Rover Single Op - QRP, low or high; Rover Multi-Op - QRP, low or high; Portable - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >150 W; LP: 150 W; QRP: 5 W/10 W

Exchange: GA: RST and county; non-GA: RST and state, province or "DX"

Work stations: Once per band per mode per county

QSO Points: 1 point per SSB QSO; 2 points per CW QSO

Multipliers: GA Stations: Each state, DC and VE province/territory once per mode; non-GA Stations: each GA county once per mode

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 18 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at:

<https://gaqsoparty.com/gqplogs.php>

Mail logs to: John Laney, K4BAI, PO Box 421, Columbus, GA 31902-0421, USA

Find rules at: <https://gaqsoparty.com/>



North Dakota QSO Party

18:00 9 April to 18:00 10 April

Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, Phone, Digital – RTTY or PSK

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2 m

Classes: Fixed; Portable; Mobile; Out of State Exchange: ND: RS(T) and County; non-ND: RS(T) and state, province or country

Work stations: Once per band per mode

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: ND Stations: each state, DC or province and ND county once; Non-ND Stations: each ND county once

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 15 May 2022

E-mail logs to: [nancyyoshida@live.com](mailto:nancyyoshida@live.com)

Mail logs to: KOYL, c/o Nancy Yoshida, 1079 Harvest LN NE, Thompson, ND 58278, USA

Find rules at:

[http://www.ndarrlsection.com/2022/2022\\_ND\\_QSO\\_Party\\_Rules.pdf](http://www.ndarrlsection.com/2022/2022_ND_QSO_Party_Rules.pdf)

Yuri Gagarin International DX Contest

21:00 UTC 9 April to 21:00 UTC 10 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, Satellites

Classes: Single Op Multi-Band - low or high; Single Op Single Band - low or high; Single Op Satellite; Single Op Geostationary Satellite; Multi-Single; SWL

Exchange: RST and ITU Zone no

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with same country; 3 points per QSO with different country on same continent; 4 points per QSO with different continent; 25 points per satellite QSO; 3 x QSO points on 160/80 m, 2 x QSO points on 40 m

Multipliers: ITU zones once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 5 May 2022

E-mail logs to: [gc\\_com@bk.ru](mailto:gc_com@bk.ru)

Upload log at:

[http://ua9qcq.com/en/submit\\_log.php?lang=en](http://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://gc.qst.ru/en/section/32>

International Vintage HF Contest  
 07:00 - 11:00 UTC 10 April and 15:00 - 19:00  
 UTC 10 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW, SSB, AM  
 Bands: 80, 40 m  
 Classes: Single Op Mixed; Single Op CW; Single Op SSB; Single Op AM; SWL  
 Exchange: RS(T) and 6-character grid square  
 Work stations: Once per band per mode  
 QSO Points: 1 point per km between stations;  
 250/500 points per phone/CW QSO with  
 IQ4RN (see rules)  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
 points  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 20 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: [vintagecontesthf@gmail.com](mailto:vintagecontesthf@gmail.com)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
<https://aririmini.jimdofree.com/vintage-contest-2022/>

WAB 3.5/7/14 MHz Data Modes  
 10:00 - 14:00 UTC 10 April and 17:00 - 21:00  
 UTC 10 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: RTTY, PSK31  
 Bands: 80, 40, 20 m  
 Classes: Single Op RTTY; Single Op PSK31;  
 Club/Multi-Op RTTY; Club/Multi-Op PSK31;  
 SWL  
 Exchange: British Isles: RS, serial no and WAB  
 square; Other: RS, serial no and country  
 QSO Points: (see rules)  
 Multipliers: (see rules)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
 points x total mults (separate scoring for each  
 mode)  
 Submit logs by: 20 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: [g3xkt@worked-all-britain.org.uk](mailto:g3xkt@worked-all-britain.org.uk)  
 Mail logs to: Tony Beardsley, G3XKT, 14 York  
 Avenue, Sandiacre, Nottingham NG10 5HB,  
 United Kingdom  
 Find rules at:  
<http://wab.intercip.net/Contests.php>

Hungarian Straight Key Contest

15:00 - 16:00 UTC 10 April  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 80 m Only  
 Classes: Single Op - 10 W or 100 W; Multi-Op -  
 10 W or 100 W  
 Exchange: RST, serial no and power code  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with category B; 3  
 points per QSO with category A  
 Multipliers: (see rules)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
 points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 25 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: (none)  
 Upload log at:  
<https://hskc.ha8kux.com/en/submit-log/lang/en-GB>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://hskc.ha8kux.com/>



ARRL Rookie SSB Roundup  
 18:00-23:59 UTC 10 April  
 Geographic Focus: North America  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: SSB  
 Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op Rookie; Multi-Op Rookie;  
 Non-Rookies  
 Max power: 100 watts  
 Exchange: Name, 2-digit year first licensed and  
 state, province, XE area or DX  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-rookie;  
 2 points per QSO with rookie  
 Multipliers: Each US state and DC once; Each  
 VE province once; Each XE call area once; One  
 DX once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
 points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 13 April 2022  
 E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at:  
<http://contests.arrl.org/arrlrscoresubmission.php>

Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup>

RSGB RoLo SSB  
19:00 - 20:30 UTC 10 April  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: SSB  
Bands: 80 m Only  
Classes: (none)  
Max power: 100 watts  
Exchange: RS and previous 6-character grid square received  
QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with UK station  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 11 April 2022  
Upload log at: <http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl>

Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/rolo.shtml>



4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint  
00:00 - 02:00 UTC 11 April  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, SSB  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op  
Max power: CW: 5 watts, SSB: 10 watts  
Exchange: Member: RS(T), state, province or country and member no; Non-member: RS(T), state, province or country and power  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member; 2 points per QSO with member

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: 13 April 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at:

<http://qrpcontest.com/4sgrp>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

[http://www.4sgrp.com/SSS/ssss\\_rules.pdf](http://www.4sgrp.com/SSS/ssss_rules.pdf)

K1USN Slow Speed Test

00:00 - 01:00 UTC 11 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each state, province or country once per band; W/VE do not count as country mults

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 13 April 2022

Post log summary at:

<http://www.3830scores.com>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>

OK1WC Memorial (MWC)

16:30 - 17:29 UTC 11 April

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40 m

Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP or low; Single Op Single Band - QRP or low

Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RST and serial no

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each last character of worked station call suffix once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 06:00 UTC 15 April 2022  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=logs>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=rules2>

RSGB FT4 Contest  
19:00 - 20:30 UTC 11 April  
Geographic Focus: United Kingdom  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: FT4  
Bands: 80, 40, 20 m

Classes: 100 W; 10 W  
Exchange: 4-character grid square  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each large locator square  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 21:30 UTC 12 April 2022  
Upload log at: <https://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: [https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/r80m\\_ft4.shtml](https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/r80m_ft4.shtml)

## Next Week's Contests

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 12 April  
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 12 April  
NAQCC CW Sprint, 00:30 - 02:30 UTC 13 April  
Phone Weekly Test, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 13 April  
A1Club AWT, 12:00 - 13:00 UTC 13 April  
CWops Test, 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 13 April and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC and 07:00 - 08:00 UTC 14 April  
Mini-Test, 40 17:00 - 17:59 UTC 13 April  
Mini-Test, 80 18:00-18:59 UTC 13 April  
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 14 April  
EACW Meeting, 19:00 - 20:00 14 April  
NCCC RTTY Sprint, 01:45 - 02:15 UTC 15 April  
NCCC Sprint, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 15 April  
K1USN Slow Speed Test, 20:00-21:00 UTC 15 April  
Holyland DX Contest, 21:00 UTC 15 April to 21:00 UTC 16 April  
ES Open HF Championship, 05:00 - 05:59 UTC and 06:00 - 06:59 UTC and 07:00 - 07:59 UTC and 08:00 - 08:59 UTC 16 April  
Worked All Provinces of China DX Contest, 06:00 UTC 16 April to 05:59 UTC 17 April  
YU DX Contest, 07:00 UTC 16 April to 06:59 UTC 17 April  
CQ MM DX Contest, 09:00 UTC 16 April to 23:59 UTC 17 April  
Michigan QSO Party, 16:00 UTC 16 April to 04:00 UTC 17 April  
EA-QRP CW Contest, 17:00 - 18:00 (10 m) and 18:00-19:00 UTC (15 m) and 19:00 - 20:00 (20 m) and 20:00-21:00 UTC (40 m) and 21:00 - 23:00 (80 m) 16 April and 07:00 - 09:00 UTC (40 m) and 09:00 - 10:00 UTC (20 m) and 10:00 - 11:00 UTC (15 m) and 11:00 - 12:00 UTC (10 m) 17 April  
Feld Hell Sprint, 18:00-21:59 UTC 16 April  
Ontario QSO Party, 18:00 16 April to 05:00 UTC 17 April and 12:00 - 18:00 17 April  
Dutch PACCdigi Contest, 07:00 UTC to 19:00 UTC 17 April  
Quebec QSO Party, 12:00 - 20:00 17 April  
Run for the Bacon QRP Contest, 23:00 17 April to 01:00 UTC 18 April  
K1USN Slow Speed Test, 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 18 April  
DARC Easter Contest, 15:00 - 17:30 UTC 18 April  
OK1WC Memorial, 16:30 - 17:29 UTC 18 April  
Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 19 April  
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 19 April

